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1. THE INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HUMAN RIGHTS, 6, PLACE DE BORDEAUX, 67000 STRASBOURG, IS A PRIVATE ORGANIZATION FOUNDED BY RENE CASSIN, NOBEL PEACE PRIZE WINNER, IN DECEMBER 1969. CURRENT PRESIDENT IS EDGAR FAURE, PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH NATIONAL ASSEMBLY. THE INSTITUTE HAS THREE MAIN PURPOSES: TEACHING ABOUT HUMAN RIGHTS, HUMAN RIGHTS RESEARCH, AND THE PROMOTION OF PUBLIC AWARENESS ON THIS ISSUE. SINCE 1970, THE INSTITUTE ORGANIZED AN ANNUAL TEACHING SEMINAR ON HUMAN RIGHTS FOR ADVANCED STUDENTS, PROFESSORS, AND GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIALS IN THE AREA.

2. THE PROGRAM OF THIS SUMMER S TEACHING SEMINAR AT THE INSTITUTE (JULY 4-29) BEGINS WITH INTRODUCTORY REMARKS BY MR. FAURE, FOLLOWED BY AN INAUGURAL ADDRESS ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES BY T.O. ELIAS, JUDGE, INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE (NIGERIA). THE MEETING IS THEN BROKEN UP INTO FOUR SECTIONS, EACH OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED IN A SEPARATE PARAGRAPH. FRENCH AND ENGLISH ARE THE WORKING LANGUAGES OF THE SEMINAR.

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3. INTERNATIONAL DIMENSIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS. LECTURES: THE FUNCTIONING OF REGIONAL INSTITUTIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AS ILLUSTRATED BY THE CHILEAN CASE (H. GROS-ESPIELL, UNIVERSITY OF MONTEVIDEO - T.C. VAN BOVEN, UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM) - THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS PACT RELATING TO CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS (M. SCHREIBER, DIRECTOR, HUMAN RIGHTS DIVISION, THE UNITED

NATIONS, GENEVA).

4. RESULTS OF THE GENEVA CONFERENCE ON THE REAFFIRMATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW. LECTURES: INTRODUCTION (HAMED SULTAN, PRESIDENT, EGYPTIAN DELEGATION TO THE GENEVA CONFERENCE) - HISTORY AND MOTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE (C. PILLOUD, DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS) - REPRESSION OF VIOLATIONS OF THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS (A. POLTORAK, INSTITUTE OF STATE AND LAW, MOSCOW) - THE PROTECTION OF CIVILIANS DURING ARMED CONFLICTS (E. DAVID, FREE UNIVERSITY OF BRUSSELS).

5. NON-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF COMPLAINTS CONCERNING HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS. LECTURES: INTRODUCTION (K. VASAK, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF HUMAN RIGHTS JOURNAL, STRASBOURG) - HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION AND HUMANITARIAN INTERCESSION (R.B. LILLICH, UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA) - THE OMBUDSMAN AND ANALOGOUS INSTITUTIONS (J.M. BECET, UNIVERSITY OF BESANCON, FRANCE) - CONCILIATION AND FRIENDLY SETTLEMENT IN THE PRACTICE OF HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLEMENTATIONS ORGANS WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THOSE OF THE EUROPEAN CONVENTION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (A. KHOL, UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA).

6. NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AND HUMAN RIGHTS. LECTURES: INTRODUCTION (JEROME SHESTACK, PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN) - NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN HUMAN RIGHTS: POLITICAL, SOCIOLOGICAL, AND LEGAL ASPECTS (L. WISEBERG AND H.SCOBLE, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO CIRCLE)
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- THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS: LEGAL STATUTES AND ROLE (D. BINDSCHEDLER-ROBERT, UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, GENEVA) - THE ROLE OF NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS IN IMPLEMENTING AND ENFORCING HUMAN RIGHTS LAW, WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THE UNITED NATIONS (F.C. NEWMAN, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY).

7. VARIOUS STUDY GROUPS WILL ALSO MEET DURING THE CONFERENCE ON THE FOLLOWING TOPICS: APPLICATION OF THE EUROPEAN CONVENTION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (A. KHOL, UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA, H. PETZOLD, EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS, STRASBOURG) - INTER-AMERICANS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (A.H. ROBERTSON, UNIVERSITY OF PARIS, D. GIULIVA, UNIVERSITY OF BARI, ITALY) - APPLICATION OF HUMANITARIAN LAW (M. VEUTHEY, INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS) - DISCRIMINATION BASED ON SEX (D. SHELTON, UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA) - PRACTICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE FIELD OF HUMAN RIGHTS (V. KARTASHKIN, INSTITUTE OF STATE AND LAW, MOSCOW) - AND THE GENERAL THEORY OF HUMAN RIGHTS (G. PECES-BARBA, UNIVERSITY OF MADRID - ONLY GIVEN IN FRENCH AND SPANISH).ROMINE

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